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**Mail Stop Petition**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

- 1. Petition and Amendment to Correct Inventorship (2 pgs.);
- 2. Return Postcard.

Applicant hereby claims small entity status.

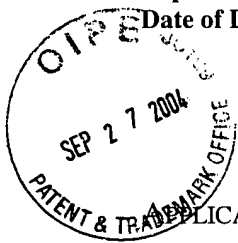
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-2648 Reference No.21402-191(Cura 491).

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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PETITION AND AMENDMENT TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN A NONPROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b) – FEWER INVENTORS DUE TO AMENDMENT OR CANCELLATION OF CLAIMS

Dear Sir:

The prosecution of the above-identified nonprovisional application has resulted in the cancellation of claims so that fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed in the instant application. Upon granting this petition, the remaining sole inventor of the claimed invention is Esha Gangolli. Therefore, Applicant submits this Amendment and Petition to correct inventorship by deleting the following name(s): Kimberly A. Spytek; Jennifer Gilbert; Stacie J. Casman; Angela D. Blalock; Li Li; Corine Vernet; Suresh G. Shenoy; Vishnu S. Mishra; Katarzyna Furtak; Valarie Gerlach; Shlomit Edinger; Uriel Malyankar; David J. Stone; Isabelle Millet; Glenda Smithson; Erik Gunther; Karen Ellerman; Muralidhara Padigaru; Raymond J. Taupier; and David W. Anderson.

The removed inventors' inventions are no longer being claimed in the instant nonprovisional application. Therefore, upon entry of this amendment, Esha Gangolli is named as the sole inventor of the claimed invention.

Applicant submits herewith the appropriate fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-2648, Ref. No. 21402-191

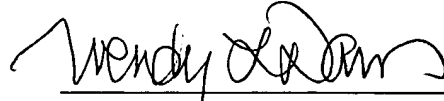
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Should the Commissioner have any questions concerning this petition, he is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

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